GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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HOSPITALS VIOLATING BIO MEDICAL WASTE RULES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that Government hospitals in the National Capital Territory (NCT) are selling waste to junk dealers without sterilization as reported in the 'Statesman' dated February 16, 2005;

(b) if so, the facts of the matter reported therein;

(c) whether the Government is also aware that selling of such hospital waste without sterilization is a violation against bio-medical waste rules

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the names of the Government hospitals violating the rules; and

(e) the action taken/proposed to be taken against such authorities in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.